

IT IS NOT HOW MUCH WE HAVE, BUT HOW MUCH WE ENJOY, THAT MAKES HAPPINESS.—Charles Haddon Spurgeon.

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Mrs. Fannie Carter is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Clara Cole of Berlin, N. H., spent the week end with Mrs. Bell Hamlin.

John Ames of South Paris is boarding at the home of Mrs. Virgie McMillin.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry and daughter, Denia, spent the week end in Blue Hill.

Miss Cleo Russell is a patient for observation at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston.

Mrs. Rose Frost of Kingfield is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herrick left last week to spend the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Roderick of Farmington were week end guests of Mrs. Virgie McMillin.

Irving Cummings is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital, where he underwent surgery Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emery of Presque Isle spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry.

Mrs. Frederick McMillin and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Scott at Bryant Pond.

Clayton Eane is a patient at the St. Louis Hospital at Berlin, where he is making good recovery from a bullet wound.

Charles A. Farrar Jr. of Phoenix, Arizona, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders two days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coolidge and son, Ronald, of Quincy, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gile and infant daughter of Agawam, Mass., spent the week end with relatives in Bethel and Farmington.

Miss Shirley Bartlett will show the slides on her trip to England at the meeting of Bear River Grange Saturday evening, Nov. 16.

Miss Eva Merrill of Portland was home over the week end from Friday to Monday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Merrill.

Mrs. Ava Austin arrived home today from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where she has been a patient several weeks. Mrs. Alice Taylor will be with her.

Miss Carolyn Chadbourne will be among those college musicians participating in the joint Tufts University-Amherst College Concert at Amherst, Mass., on Dec. 7. This will be the second joint appearance of these concert bands, and the first of a series of performances by the Tufts University Concert Band this year.

Mrs. Addie Saunders was guest of honor at a tea given by Mrs. Addison Saunders and Mrs. Wallace Saunders with Mrs. Agnes Thurston assisting at Mrs. Addison Saunders' home on Monday, Nov. 4, celebrating her 70th birthday.

Mrs. Emily Clement made the birthday cake. Those present were Mrs. Estella Martin of Rumford Point, Mrs. Daisy Warren of Hanover, Mrs. Margaret Lynn of Rumford Center, Mrs. Ida Wright and Miss Carrie Wright of Newry, Mrs. Fannie Cummings and Mrs. Evelyn Bran of Bryant Pond, Mrs. Alma Thurston, Mrs. Little Hall, Mrs. Edna Smith, Mrs. Kathleen Bennett, Mrs. Fern Jordan, Mrs. Sarah Morgan, Mrs. Emily Clement, Mrs. Minnie Bennett, Mrs. Herter Sonborn, Mrs. Ruby Briggs, Mrs. Maude Hunt, Mrs. Lillian Coolidge, Mrs. Agnes Thurston, Mrs. Melvin Willard, Mrs. Gladys Gurney, Mrs. Sarah Webster, Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf, Mrs. Frances Saunders, and Mrs. Emily Saunders.

The Week in Oxford County

Stuart F. Martin, Rumford, who is serving a second term as treasurer of Oxford County, says he will seek nomination as a candidate for this office in the June primaries.

According to recent announcement, the endowment fund at the Rumford Community Hospital is approximately \$11,000.

David E. Smith of Houlton has assumed his duties as basketball coach at Park High School. Mr. Smith is a graduate of the University of Maine. He was recently discharged from military service.

A burglar was reported from Central High School said to have taken place during the long weekend. According to officials, the burglar got away with nearly \$100.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Last week I had the opportunity to attend the annual meeting of the Maine Municipal Association in Portland. On Thursday morning a general business session was held, which included committee reports, Maine City and Town Reports competition, resolutions, and election of officers. After the business session the legal counsel, Richard B. Samborn of Augusta spoke on Municipal Legal Problems. His talk covered decisions by the Law Court over the past ten years that affected municipalities. It is interesting to note that four of the cases that he mentioned were damage suits, a taxpayer suing the town for damages. In each case the court decided in favor of the town.

The Thursday afternoon topic was Industrial Development and Municipal Planning. The panel discussion was led by Fred A. Clough, Jr., Commissioner, State Department of Economic Development.

Topics reviewed by the panel are as follows: "What a community should know about itself," "What an industry wants to know about a community," "Municipal planning for industrial development—when comes first and why," "Publicity and recreation as part of a community development," "Expansion of and aid to present industry," "Regional development and its role in state and municipal development."

"Maine's position in competition with other states and areas."

The banquet was held on Thursday evening, with the Honorable Francis W. Sullivan, guest speaker. Friday morning group discussions were held for Assessors and Collectors. I attended the Collectors meeting at which Delinquent Taxes and Legal Problems of Collectors were the subjects for discussion.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

PEOPLE MAY BE LOSING SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS DUE THEM

Three ways of losing social security money were pointed out today to "Citizen" readers by the Lewiston social security office. Noting that local residents are believed to be among those doing the losing, John M. Heale, Lewiston District Manager, said that the exact season for the loss is the same for all three ways—failure to ask for benefits due under changed parts of the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance system. Applications made now will stop the loss, and may also bring payments for back months.

Each of the three situations comes about through a different set of Social Security Act amendments, it was stated.

First was a change in 1954 concerning workers who died after the close of 1939 and before September 1, 1950. Now, such an individual is counted to have died "insured" for purposes of monthly survivor benefits if he had 6 quarters years of social security coverage. A quarter counts toward that requirement within that three months the worker was paid at least \$50 for work under social security. In a number of instances, survivors of those workers inquire after the death and were told that the worker did not have enough wage credits and no benefits were possible. This happened because, as the law was then, he needed anywhere from 7 to 27 quarters of coverage according to the date of his death.

If there is now a child who was under age 18 during any of the past 18 months, a disabled child 18 or over, a widow having in her care a child of either sex, or a widow age 62 or over such an individual is causing up benefits if a fresh claim hasn't been filed. Only late yesterday the Lewiston office has encountered several of these cases in which the parent or nearest friend

has just learned of the rights of a child and has made application for benefits for the child. Since application can take effect for as many as 12 months before the month in which received payment for back months may follow.

The change causes only for monthly benefits not for lump-sum death payments.

Second, in 1956 came the lowering of the "retirement age" for women from age 65 to age 62. Part of that change provided for women who gets social security because of her own record of earnings that her benefit rate is reduced if she remarries before she is 65 years old; the same is true of a woman applying as a wife. For a widow's benefit however, there is no reduction, and there would seem to be no reason for her to delay applying for the money. If she has made claims, such a widow is

SAFETY COMMITTEE LISTS SAFE WINTER DRIVING PRACTICES

Doing your "daily dozen" exercises will keep you fit physically, but you can't beat the "half dozen" rules advanced by your Maine Highway Safety Committee as means for living a full life despite winter driving dangers. Based on years of National Safety Council research, the committee's six recommended practices follow:

1. Fit your driving to changing conditions. Winterize your car, winterize your driving techniques, and determine that you can and will avoid traffic tie-ups and accidents.

2. Operate with good tires—and use chains when needed. Be prepared for poor traction. Under any circumstance be certain your tires have good treads. Snow tires provide added traction, but for emergency conditions, be sure you have a set of good tire chains in your trunk. Use reinforced tire chains for deep, hard-packed snow, or ice. No matter what your tire equipment may be, and even on sand-ed roadways—slow down!

3. Keep windshield and windows clear. Be sure your windshield wipers don't streak, and that heater and defroster are in good operating order. Clean snow and ice from the windshield and from all windows. Ventilate to keep the inside of your windows from fogging.

4. Get the feel of the road. Try your brakes gingerly while driving slowly and away from traffic to learn exact condition of road. Adjust your vehicle speed accordingly.

5. Follow at a safe distance. The area between your car and the car ahead makes up "your moving living room" on the highway. Let that room be big enough for you to maneuver in, even when it becomes necessary to stop suddenly. Without help of the chains, it takes three to 12 times as far to stop your vehicle on snow and ice as it does on dry pavement.

6. Pump your brakes. To stop straight on snow or ice while maintaining steering control of your vehicle, use a fast up-and-down pumping of your brakes. Jamming on your brakes is risky. It may lock the wheels and throw your car into a dangerous skid.

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GOULD ACADEMY HONOR ROLL

The Gould Academy Honor Roll for the first grading period has been announced today as follows: Seniors—Honors: Sara Aut, Judith Brown, William Gallagher, Herbert Morton, Alan Ordway, Barbara Plummer. Certificate: Mary Ashcraft, William Black, Lauriston Bragg, James Hill, Rosalind Liston, Joanne Makepiece, Susan Merrill, Sandra Olson, Reginald Roberts Heath Sandbach, Judith Van.

Juniors—Honors: Harriet Kneeland, Linwood Small, Steve Yeaton. Certificate: Gloria Burris, Ann Carter, Betsy Chapman, John Cole, Mark Freeman, Jane Greig, Mary Jasper, Carolyn Mills, Sara Stowell, John Vinton, Sally Webber, Evelyn Winslow.

Sophomores—Honors: Beverly Blaize, Donald Christie, Barbara Mundt, David Stowell, Peter Wheeler. Certificate: Samuel Appleton, Anne Brown, Bethany Brown, Sandra Cole, Leslie Davis, Dorothy Kimball, Donna Smith, Betty Swan, John Todd, Lilian Wilson.

Freshmen—Honors: Dixie Brown, Louise Kennedy, Arthur Lincoln. Certificate: Jean Cory, Fred Des Roches, Freda Gammon, Rupert Grover, Louise Lincoln, Helen Miller, Nikki McMillin, George Morris, Merry Ring, Richard York, Pamela Young.

Those leaders who have been in 4-H work were honored by being given the "Award of the Clover." This award is a clover-shaped pin. The five-year pin is silver. Leaders receiving the five-year pins were: Lyndon Hayford, Canton; Claire Thurston, Norway Center; Russell Mack, West Paris; Mrs. Michael MacKay, Bethel; and Mrs. Hazel Newton, South Paris.

Mrs. Gladys Tyler, East Bethel, received the Diamond Clover in recognition of 20 years of service as a 4-H Leader.

EVENING EXTENSION GROUP MET TUESDAY EVENING

The Evening Group of the Extension Service met at the Home Ec Cottage Tuesday night with 19 members present. Mrs. Abbie Brown presided over the business meeting.

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ACROSS the DESK

Letters from other editors

From the *Tallahassee Tribune*, Tallahassee, Alabama: The more you buy locally, the more money local people will have to buy from you.

Money that is earned working for an employer... should be spent here, nuclear as possible, so that it will stay here and go into more local pay envelopes.

Buying from home merchants, so that home merchants can buy from you, is the greatest thing you can do to build prosperity for yourself and your community.

On the other side of the coin is the obligation of those of us in business to furnish the fertile soil in which these dimes can grow. So if your merchant doesn't carry the type and quality of merchandise you want to buy with your hard-earned money, why not tip him off. If he is not on the ball enough to be awake to your shopping wants, then, of course you may take it for granted that he doesn't care to have your trade.

From the *Barnesburg Star*, Barnesburg, Pennsylvania: A group of high school students in Maine have shown what results teenagers can achieve once they take the initiative and lead the way.

Rather than nearly complain about poor movies, television pro-

grams, magazines, comic books and recordings, they decided not long ago to do something constructive. They appealed to adults to respect their rights to better entertainment and literature.

Their demands made many older people sit up and take notice. Better still, they got results. Here is the list of their sensible and urgent requests:

1. Give us decent motion picture and television shows.

2. Give us respectable place of amusement.

3. Give us a chance to show that we can be responsible, orderly, law-abiding citizens.

4. Give us clean, wholesome newsstands and drug store magazines with inspirational stories that can help us in our lives, instead of the trash that now abounds at us daily.

5. Give us magazines and books that encourage us to follow high ideals, instead of those that glorify sex, make of crime and graft a breathtaking adventure, and picture wealth and pleasure as the one and only aim in life.

6. Give us your support and example. If through youthful weakness or ignorance we ask to attend these questionable movies or begin to read these questionable magazines, please have the courage to say "no" to us.

Economic Highlights . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare. During Queen Elizabeth II's visit to this country she was taken, at her request, to see a football game between two leading universities. The Governor of a state was her host. When the teams ran onto the field to start the game, an AP account says, the Queen asked: "Where do you get all these players?" The Governor answered: "Your Majesty, that is a very embarrassing question."

On the surface, certainly, there is absolutely no connection between this little incident and the history-making launching of Sputnik, the Soviet earth satellite. But suffice it all, if one digs a bit deeper, a relationship which may have the highest importance appears.

The Governor's answer to the Queen simply underlined what everyone knows—that major college football card, to a somewhat lesser but still significant extent, other crowd-attracting athletic contests has become a big business with certain rare and remarkable exceptions. Promising players are "bought" in a multitude of dubious ways. Many alums apparently seem to think that the fine duty of higher education is to produce winning teams capable of filling multimillion-dollar stadiums that would have impressed the Queen.

And what has all this to do with global conflicts? achievements? Sports aside?

The Postwar Georgian observes that Soviet defeat resulted in an orgy of self-delusion, with Soviets casting the Republican Administration and the Republic as "Machiavellians, thinking the Communists stupids and so on." Thus the paper continues: "But is

there not a wider responsibility? The American people, themselves, have in fact willed the state of affairs that made possible this Russian triumph... Who gets the higher salary on the college faculty... the head of the physics department or the athletic director?"

This question carries built-in answer. The top coaches get salaries and emoluments on a scale that must make physicists and other scientists of the first caliber blink their eyes in astonishment. And what is true of athletics, needless to say, is true of other callings, notably the entertainers who get five-figure fees for singing a song or two.

It may be said at this point that the logical deduction is that we can keep pace with the Russians only by doing as the Russians do—that is, by a forced concentration on science. But there is no evidence, much less proof, that this is so.

The achievement of the free peoples of the world in every field of science, over the centuries, refute that theory.

What it comes down to, in the view of many, is a question of values of what we want most; of what is most important to us. To quote the Georgian again: "Unless Americans choose to alter some of their basic values, there appears to be a good chance that they may lose freedom of choice with respect to life's values and everything else." Senator Bridges, in commenting on the meaning of Sputnik, got the same idea in plain and earthy terms when he said, "The time has clearly come to be less concerned with the depth of the pile of the new broadloom rug or the height of the tail fin on the new car and to be more prepared to shed blood, sweat and tears in our National Life..."

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THE AMERICAN WAY FREE NATIONS UNDER GOD

by
George
Peck

(EDITOR'S NOTE: George Peck is President of the Laymen's National Committee, sponsor of National Sunday School and Bible Weeks.)

On the evening of October 26 it was my great privilege to attend a dinner at the Hotel Plaza, New York City. This dinner was given in honor of the NATO Naval Chaplains who were assembled in the United States for a conference. This columnist was invited to this affair as President of the Laymen's National Committee, which organization among other projects, for the past 17 years has sponsored National Bible Week (this year's observance was from October 21 to 27).

Attending the conference and this dinner given in their honor jointly by the United States Navy and the City of New York, were chaplain of all 14 nations who comprise the membership of NATO: Belgium, Canada, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Turkey, the United Kingdom and the United States. These chaplains are adherents of five great religious faiths: Mohammedan, Greek Catholic, Roman Catholic, Jewish and Protestant.

In welcoming these NATO Naval Chaplains to the United States, on September 11, 1957, Thomas E. Gates Jr., Secretary of the Navy, made the following statement:

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NATO Chaplains Conference in the Netherlands in August 1956. This initial pioneering spiritual effort exceeded expectations.

"It is with a deep sense of gratitude that the United States Navy chose to act favorably on the recommendation of the delegates that a second conference be convened here in 1957....

"I have the honor to welcome the delegates and observers to our country, may your sessions and deliberations be rich and challenging. Such conferences bring meaning and hope to all free nations, who aim to build into their citizens a moral discipline that would insure a morally virile world. Such a world is the surest guarantor of peace among individuals and nations alike. Historically and traditionally, we are as one with our NATO allies in securing and preserving the peace."

"I wish you all success."

In his telegram of September 12, welcoming the NATO Naval Chaplains, President Eisenhower referred to the Conference Motto: "There is no Freedom without Religion," and commented that this motto "strikes a responsive chord in the hearts of our citizens. This nation was founded on the principle that all men are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, foremost among which is the freedom to worship God according to the dictates of individual conscience. Our Nation has prospered under God, and the observance of that basic freedom has undergirded the structure of our National Life...."

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ferences between our several faiths are inconsequential; and that we are as one in our aims and objectives."

Captain Joshua L. Goldberg, Chaplain, Third Naval District USN and Staff Chaplain, Eastern Sea Frontier, presided. In opening the proceedings, he explained why there was no date for the occasion. "All are seated on one level," he told us, "because that is in keeping with the spirit of NATO, where all member nations are equal. In other words all of us here tonight are equally close to Heaven."

His Eminence Francis Cardinal Spellman in referring to this, stated that he hoped for the sake of the younger guests, all present, however, would not be arriving at Heaven at the same time. This reminded him of a story which he proceeded to tell to the delight of his listeners:

A 20-year-old Salvation Army lad stood on a city street corner shaking a tambourine. Generous passers-by were dropping coins on the tambourine. Watching this procedure was an 85-year-old man, who finally walked over and inquired for whom the collection was being taken.

"This money is for the Lord," the young man replied.

Without further adieu, the old fellow scooped up the money from the tambourine and put it in his pocket, remarking as he did so, "Well, I'll be seeing Him long before you and I'll give it to Him."

To finish on a serious note, the dinner was a grand affair, and what is of most importance, those participating declared their convictions that the Conference had served "to further cement the bonds of friendship that bind the NATO nations together as Free Nations Under God."

Crossword puzzle

Puzzle No. 172

ACROSS

1. Short for *shortstop*. 2. *Wardrobe*.

3. *Armed robbery*. 4. *Conqueror*.

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith O. Abbott, Cor. — Up to Monday night the following local hunters have tagged deer at the Inspection Station of A. A. Brown: John Hathaway, Sanford Ricker, Roland Deaham, Vernal Packard, Gordon Farnum, Herbert Berryment, Eva Mae Milne Tafto Koskela, Eleanor Koskela, Scott Emmons, Malcolm Packard, Kenneth Buck, Norton Emmons, Ernest Packard, Bernard Brooks, M. Parker Allen, Kenneth Swan, Frank Packard, Jack Allen, David Farnum, Victor Flagg, Herschel Abbott, Frank Bean, Lester Hathaway, Wendell Twitchell, Hazen Emery, Samuel Sumner, Arthur Wardwell, Howard MacKillop, Myrtle Clifford, Homer Farnum, Eugene Bellegard and Roydon Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyler are spending this week at their camp, at Byron. Their son, James Tyler, was at home for the week end. Scott Pease, Bethelhem, Fla., has been the visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jordan, returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. Frances Wiske has closed her summer home here and started for Sarasota, Fla., where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Grace Emery, Portland, was the week end guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Dudley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyler at their camp this week for a few days.

The annual meeting of the Association of Universalist Women was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eliza Day. Miss Mary Bartlett, chairman of the nominating committee presented the following slate of officers, who were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Lizzie Ross; Vice President, Mrs. Mildred Wescott; Secretary, Mrs. Edith Abbott and Treasurer, Mrs. Fannie Cummings. It was voted to change the name of the organization to The Universalist Circle of Bryant Pond. The mystery package was received by Mrs. Mildred Wescott. Plans for a pre-Christmas sale were discussed, and Dec. 12 decided upon as a tentative date. The next meeting will be held Dec. 9 at the home of Mrs. Mildred Wescott.

Sgt. Norman Lowell, Ft. Carson, Colo., is at home for a leave, on his return, his wife, the former Beverly Morgan and little daughter, will accompany him.

In observance of Education Week open House will be held by the Central School Thursday evening this week, starting at 7 o'clock p. m., with all parents and friends invited to visit the school rooms. A food sale for benefit of the grades will be held in the new Primary room.

The Fellowship Club will meet Wednesday evening, Nov. 20, at the Town Hall, following a 6:30

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Florence Swift, Corra —

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Rand and daughter from Bronxville, N. Y., spent the week end at their home here.

Dorothy, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan,

had an unfortunate accident Mon-

day, while playing, she ran into a

fence door and both arms were

thrust through the glass. One arm

required seven stitches to close the

gash, the other was only slightly

cute. She will be out of school this

week.

The Teen-Age Hop held Saturday

at the Town Hall was attended

by over 50 teen-agers.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hall, Turner,

were Monday guests of her bro-

ther and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Har-

ry Swift.

The Locke Mills Community Club

met at the town hall Tuesday ev-

ening, Nov. 12, with 14 members

and one visitor present. The en-

tertainment committee, May An-

drews, Ella Cole, and Ann Swan,

furnished a film "David and the

Sea Gulls," which was much en-

joyed. Ella Cole received the mys-

tery package. Refreshments were

served by Rowena Dunham, Sandra

Dunham and Winnie Hanscom. The

next meeting will be a family pot

luck supper and Christmas tree.

Supper in charge of Mrs. Fannie

Cummings, Mrs. Rena Howe and

Mrs. Gertrude Gauger.

Children's Book Week, Nov. 18 to

22, will be observed by Whitman

Memorial Library with many new

books for both adults and chil-

dren. On Tuesday, Nov. 19, it is

planned to have a story hour for

the children after school. On Fri-

day, Nov. 22 Open House, will be

held during Library open hours, 2-5

and 7-9 p. m., with everyone invit-

ed to visit the Library and inspect

the new books and to see the im-

provements recently made; the

basement and new furnace install-

ed. Tea will be served from 3 un-til 5.

A meeting of the Woodstock Ex-

tension Group will be held Wed-

nesday, Nov. 20, at the Town Hall,

on Aprons, Christmas Suggestions,

and Painting on Place Mats, with

a Mexican dinner served in charge

of Mrs. Cleo Billings and Mrs. Ed-

ith Abbott.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. O. James Knights, Corra —

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lange and sons of Belleville, Michigan, have been visiting her father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Whitney, Gore

The Village Improvement Society

met Tuesday evening the 6th at

the home of Mrs. Mary Knights

with six members present. Refresh-

ments of sandwiches, cake, cook-

ies, tea and coffee were served.

Next meeting, Jan. 7, at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole.

Mrs. Danny Cole of Greenwood

called to see Mr. and Mrs. Harman

Cole Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Davis recently spent

the afternoon with Mrs. Leslie Bry-

ant.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Whitney, Gore

Road, also Mr. and Mrs. Warren

Lange and family, were at Lew-

iston, Wednesday.

Rev. Hinckley of West Paris was

making calls in this vicinity one

day last week.

Mrs. Elwin Chapman and daugh-

ter called one afternoon last week

at Mrs. C. James Knights.

Mrs. Herman Cole attended the

Universalist Circle at Mrs. Harry

Marblehead, Mass., were week end.

Day's on Monday.

SKILLINGSTON

Mrs. Ola Tiff, Corra —

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuart, Judy Bloker, Binghamton, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Har-

old Young and family.

Mark Wright is spending some

time with his son, John Wright,

Alice McAllister went back to

work on Tuesday.

Mrs. Florida Baker, Minn. Laura

Bennett and Mrs. Alice McAllister

were in Rumford on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James MacDonald,

West Virginia, called at the Tiffs

on Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Tiff and grand-

children, Bobby and Cindy, were

in Norway, Tuesday.

Raymond Baker was taken to the

Rumford Community Hospital on

Wednesday for X-rays.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Olga Tiff, Corra —

The Community Club met on Saturday evening for a pot luck supper. There were twenty-seven

present.

Mrs. Lauri Tamminen of Yar-

mouth and Mrs. Ruth Hastings of

East Bethel spent Sunday with

their mother, Mrs. Linnie Cole.

Duane Hayes is one of the lucky

hunters here. His deer weighed 215

pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt and

family called on relatives in Port-

land, recently.

Donald Waterhouse of Portland

Western View St. Auburn 2-3427

spent the week end with his cou-

sin, Duane Hayes.

The best portion of a man's life

is his little nameless, unremembered

acts of kindness and love;

—Wordsworth

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1. Always carry your gun with the safety on or a loaded gun. This is the first rule of gun safety.

2. Guns carried into camp or house, or when otherwise not in use, must always be unloaded, and taken down or have actions open; guns always should be carried in cases to the shooting area.

3. Always be sure barrel and action are clear of obstructions, and that you have only ammunition of the proper size for the gun you are carrying. Remove oil and grease from chamber before firing.

4. Always carry your gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle even if you stumble. Keep the safety on until you are ready to shoot.

5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger; know the identifying features of the game you intend to hunt.

6. Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot; avoid all horseplay while handling a gun.

7. Unloaded guns should be unloaded; guns and ammunition should be stored separately beyond reach of children and careless adults.

8. Never climb a tree or fence or jump a ditch with a loaded gun; never pull a gun toward you by the muzzle.

9. Never shoot a bullet at a flat, hard surface or the surface of water; when at target practice, be sure your backstop is adequate.

10. Avoid alcoholic drinks before or during shooting.

Do it now. It is not safe to leave a generous feeling to the cooling influences of a cold world.

—Thomas Gothic

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Nt. Abram Lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings; N. G. Gillett Jackson, Rec. Secretary, George Lathrop.

Somers Rebekah Lodge, No. 41, meets first and third Monday evenings; M. G. Mandie Hunt, Rec. Secretary, Adela Saunders.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 184, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays; Master, Gordon Mason; Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce, Meets first Tuesdays. President, Edward Ireland; Secretary, Wallace Saunders.

W. A. G. M. Methodist Church, Meets third Thursday evening at 7:00 P. M.; President, Adela Saunders; Secretary, Adela Brown.

Blessed Queen Council, Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings; President, Beth Brown; Secretary, Marilyn Parker.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church, Meets first and third Tuesday afternoons; President, Mrs. Henry Becker; Secretary, Mrs. R. H. Tibbles.

Women's Fellowship of West Parish Congregational Church, Meets second Wednesdays of January, April, October, December. President, Mrs. Lucy Barker; Secy., Mrs. Robert Nichols.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings; W. M. Wilbur Jr., Myers Secretary, Harry H. Hastings.

Patty Chapter, No. 487, O. E. K. Meets first Wednesday evenings; W. M. Barbara Elmer Secretary, Helen Hartness.

Music Appreciation Group, Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. in Acadia Middle School; President, Elizabeth McLean; Secretary, Gertrude McLean; Treasurer, Mrs. McLean.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church, Meets first Tuesday evenings; President, Morris Farnsworth; Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association, Meets third Tuesday evenings; President, Mrs. Mary D. Nichols; Secretary, Mrs. Nichols.

Bethel Lions Club, Meets second and third Mondays; President, P. WALTER TURNER; Secretary, James Hatch.

Five Town Teachers' Club, Meets first Monday evening; President, Doris Heise; Secretary, Madeline Cross.

Mosell-Allen Post, No. 31, American Legion, Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings; Commander, George Taylor; Adjutant, Arnold K. Hines.

Mosell-Allen Post, No. 31, American Legion Auxiliary, Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings; President, Pauline McMillan; Secretary, Edna Donahue.

Alder River Grange, No. 186, Newry Center. Meets every other Saturday; Master, George Wright; Secretary, Mrs. Wright.

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Seal River Grange, No. 306, Norway Center. Meets every other Saturday; Master, George Wright; Secretary, Mrs. Wright.

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UPTON

Mrs. G. A. Judkins, Corres. —
These names of deceased in Upton last week were Nov. 4—Roger Lavelle, Upton, doe; 4, Alma Collins, Upton, doe; 4, James A. Brown, Brunswick, buck; 4, Anthony D. Correll, Stoughton, Mass., buck; 4, James Farrar, Bryant Pond, buck; 5, Alfred Colino, St. George, doe; 5, Stanley Farrar, Woodstock, buck; 5, Elsie Fuller, Upton, buck; 5, Virginia Griffin, Portland, doe; 6, Carroll Fickett, Oxford, doe; 7, Donald W. Mitchell, Douglas, N. Y., buck; 7, George W. Roy, Amesbury, Mass., doe; 7, Walter Lambert, South Hampton, N. H., doe; 7, Donald Roberts, Haverhill, Mass., doe; 8, Gordon Griffin, Portland, buck; 8, Richard M. Lincoln, Brunswick, buck; 8, Carlton Pollard, Casco, doe; 9, Chester Merrifield, Sr., Gorham, doe; 9, Fred C. Noble, Bridgton, buck; 9, Richard P. Sullivan, Gorham, buck; 9, Sidney Warren Thaxter, Portland, doe; 9, Reginald S. Brown, Raymond, doe; 9, Eugene H. Leighton, Portland, buck; 9, William BiBine, Jr., Portland, doe; 9, George H. Scott, Sherborn, Mass., doe; 9, Gordon C. Brackett, Brunswick, buck; 9, Perry Edwards, Casco, buck; 9, Raymond Boyden, Freeport, doe; 10, Raymond Colby, Oxford, buck; 10, Harry Paige, L. I., N. Y., doe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Worster of Massachusetts called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett Sunday, then went on to Berlin, N. H., to see her father, James Barnett, who has been ill with pneumonia.

H. Prescott Tucker, Jr., of Dover, Mass., was in town Saturday. Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Georgia Pratt, plans to return to Dover with him for the winter.

So many of the children were sick with the flu that on Thursday last week, only one-third of the two schools were present.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the fifteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven, from day to day from the fifteenth day of said October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven, from day to day from the fifteenth day of said October, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinbefore indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the nineteenth day of November A. D. 1957, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Harriet M. Blake, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Clayton L. Blake or some other suitable person as Administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Clayton L. Blake, Son.

Minnie Agnes Harlow, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for Probate thereof and the appointment of Sara Julia Crosby and James Arthur McQuire as Co-Executors of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will; presented by Sara Julia Crosby, one of the Executors therein named.

Hulda E. Mason, late of Gilead, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Floyd Mason, Administrator.

Clerman B. Newton, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Maggie M. Newton or some other suitable person as Administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Maggie M. Newton, Widow.

Witness, Robert T. Smith, Judge of said Court at Paris, this fifteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

EARL R. CLIFFORD, Register,

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THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



SCHOOL NOTES

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres.

School was closed on Friday and the teachers, Mrs. Beatrice Judkins and Frank Libby attended the teachers convention at Mexico. Fred Judkins provided transportation.

Richard Enman, of the U. S. Navy, is home on leave for two weeks, before being transferred to a base in California.

Lloyd Enman, who has been enjoying a short leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. George Wight, returns to the service this week.

Several went to Newry Corner last Thursday evening to take their second polio shot.

Many hunters have been in this area all during November so far. As yet there has been no snow on which to track deer and the weather is warm.

Orlando Fraser of Bethel was the guest of Edward Bernier, home from Gould Academy over the week end.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS
The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to make payment immediately:

Bethany S. Bean and Nancy J. Bean of Bethel, minors; Eleanor L. Bean of Bethel, Guardian of the bond, September 24, 1957.

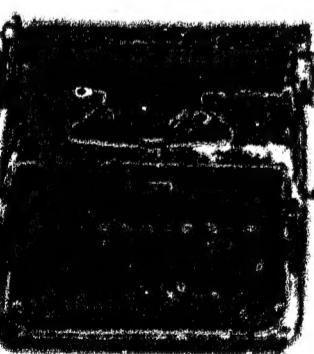
Chester A. Briggs, late of Bethel, deceased; Ruby Clark Briggs of Bethel, Executrix without bond, October 2, 1957.

Catharine M. Seaton, late of Bethel, deceased; John W. Carter of Bethel, Administrator DEBN with bond, October 7, 1957.

Rose N. Strickland, late of Bethel, deceased; Earlyn Wheeler of Rockport, Executor without bond, October 15, 1957.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.

The Junior Youth Fellowship enjoyed a social at the church basement Saturday night under the supervision of Miss Lucille Wild. Refreshments were served. Those attending were: Mary, Margaret and Linda Burris; Martha, Jonathan and Billy Stowell; Roy Newton, Ronald Coulombe, Dennis Wheeler, Sheila and Towne Gilbert.

Mrs. Donald Bennett was honored guest at a stork shower at the home of Mrs. Clarence Holte, Wednesday evening. The decorations featured a family tree with ribbons from the limbs attached to the gifts. Games and refreshments including a shower cake were enjoyed. Mrs. Bennett was presented a corsage. Those attending were Mrs. Katherine Wilson, Mrs. Albert Bennett, Mrs. Carroll Abbott, Mrs. Leland Mason, Mrs. Allen Walker, Mrs. Fred Lovejoy, Mrs. Richard Walker, Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, Mrs. Hazel Lowell, Mrs. Raymond Bennett, Mrs. Raymond Saunders, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. George Stowell, Jr., Mrs. Franklin Burris, Mrs. Chester Wheeler, Mrs. Roland Kneeland, Mrs. Myron Morrill, Mrs. Roger Wheeler, Mrs. Clayton Kendall, Mrs. Clarence Holte, Mrs. Shirley Gilbert, Mrs. George Gilbert, Mrs. Herman Bennett, Mrs. Louis Paul, Mrs. Roy Newton, Mrs. Andrew Boyd, Mrs. Lillian Lovejoy, Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, all of West Bethel; Mrs. Muriel Kendall, Mrs.

Ronald Kendall, Mrs. Lawrence Burris, all of Bethel. Several sent gifts.

Mrs. Lona Gilbert was confined several days last week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and Miss Lucille Wild were at Shelburne, Sunday.

Miss Jean Farren, Bangor, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Yanek, Brunswick, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett.

Mrs. Roy Newton is a patient at the Osteopathic Hospital, Portland.

Misses June Burris and June Levy, who are employed in Boston

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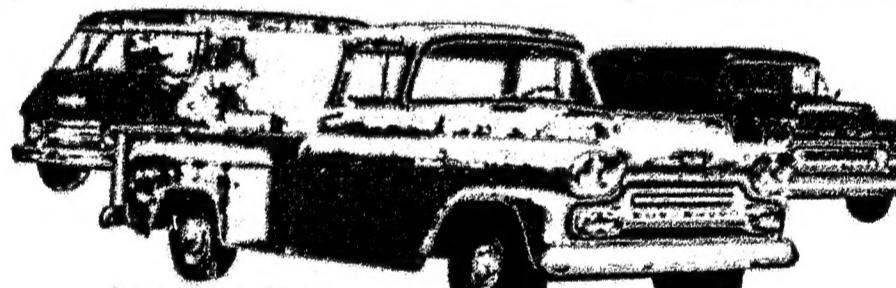
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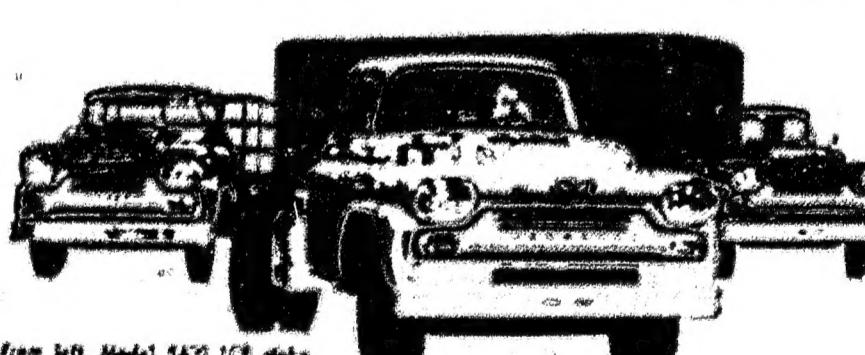
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From left, Model 3345 Step-Van, 3204 p. cu.; 3405 panel



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From left, Model 3420 panel, 4323 chassis-cab, 4103 chassis-cab

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